

PATENT APPLICATION  
Docket No.: NC 84,888

## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In the application of: Apisdorf et al.

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For: SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR INSTRUCTION-LEVEL PARALLELISM IN A  
PROGRAMMABLE NETWORK PROCESSOR ENVIRONMENT

Examiner: Tsai, Henry

Art Group Unit: 2183

Honorable Commissioner of Patents

PO Box 1450

Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

October 21, 2004

## PETITION FOR EXTENSION

Sir:

Applicants petition the Commissioner of Patents to extend the time for reply to the Office action dated 05/21/2004 for 2 months from 08/21/2004 to 10/21/2004. A fee transmittal is attached.

In the event that a fee is required, please charge the fee to Deposit Account No. 50-0281, and in the event that there is a credit due, please credit Deposit Account No. 50-0281.

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